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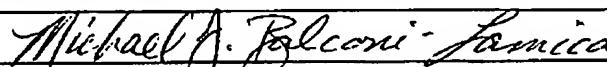
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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	0.00
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	0.00
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	0.00
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	0
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	0.00

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity**Fee (\$)**

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total Claims

Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 14, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment to the Abstract begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendment to the Drawings begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.